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Registration No. 333-113747

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO FORM S-8 REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

TOTAL S.A.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Republic of France	98-0227345
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

2 place de la Coupole La Défense 6 92078 Paris La Défense Cedex France Phone: (011-33-1) 47.44.45.46 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

TOTAL HOLDINGS USA, INC. 2004 EMPLOYEE SHAREHOLDER PLAN

(Full Title of the Plan)

C T Corporation System 111 Eighth Avenue New York, New York 10011 (212) 894-8940

(Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

		Proposed maximum	Proposed maximum	
Title of securities to be registered ⁽¹⁾	Amount to be registered $^{(1)(2)}$	offering price per share ⁽³⁾	aggregate offering	Amount of registration fee $^{(4)}$
to be registered(1)	registered(1)(2)	snare	price	registration fee

Shares, nominal value 10 euros per share

500,000 \$134.88 \$67,440,000 \$68.42

- (1) The Shares were registered under the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration No. 333-113747) filed on March 19, 2004.
- (2) The maximum number of Shares which may be granted under the Total Holdings USA, Inc. 2004 Employee Shareholder Plan (the Plan). The Shares will be represented by the Registrant s American Depositary Share represents one-half of a Share.
- (3) The proposed maximum offering price per share was set at \$134.88 per share pursuant to the terms of the Plan.
- (4) The registration fee payable in connection with this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 is \$68.42, representing the difference between the correct registration fee of \$8,544.11 and the registration fee of \$8,476.23 paid on March 19, 2004 in connection with the filing of the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration No. 333-113747).

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

We are filing this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to our Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration No. 333-113747) solely for the purpose of (i) amending the proposed maximum offering share price per share from \$133.80 to \$134.88 and the proposed maximum aggregate offering price from \$66,900,000 to 67,440,000 to correct an error in the exchange rate used to calculate these amounts, pursuant to Rule 456, and (ii) paying an additional registration fee of \$68.42, representing the difference between the correct registration fee of \$8,544.11 and the registration fee of \$8,476.23 paid on March 19, 2004 in connection with the filing of the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration No. 333-113747).

Item 8. Exhibits.

Power of Attorney, previously filed on Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration No. 333-113747), to which this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 relates and incorporated herein by reference.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to its Registration Statement on Form S-8 to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Paris, France on April 8, 2004.

TOTAL S.A.

By: /s/ Charles Paris de Bollardière

Charles Paris de Bollardière Treasurer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to its Registration Statement on Form S-8 has been signed on April 8, 2004, by the following persons in the capacities indicated.

Signatures	Title
Thierry Desmarest*	Chairman, President, Chief Executive Officer, and
Thierry Desmarest Robert Castaigne*	Director (Principal Executive Officer) Executive Vice President, Chief
Robert Castaigne Dominique Bonsergent*	Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer) Chief Accounting Officer (Principal
Dominique Bonsergent Daniel Bouton*	Accounting Officer)
Daniel Bouton	Director
Bertrand Collomb Paul Desmarais Jr.*	Director
Paul Desmarais Jr. Jacques Friedmann*	Director
Jacques Friedmann	Director
Professor Bertrand Jacquillat	Director

Signatures	Title
Antoine Jeancourt-Galignani*	Director
Antoine Jeancourt-Galignani Anne Lauvergeon*	
Anne Lauvergeon Maurice Lippens*	Director
Maurice Lippens	Director
Michel Pébereau Thierry de Rudder*	Director
Thierry de Rudder Jürgen Sarrazin*	Director
Jürgen Sarrazin Serge Tchuruk*	Director
Serge Tchuruk Pierre Vaillaud*	Director
Pierre Vaillaud Robert O. Hammond*	Director
Robert O. Hammond	Authorized Representative of the United States
*By: /s/ Charles Paris de Bollardière	
Charles Paris de Bollardière Attorney-in-fact	
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EXHIBIT INDEX

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